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8. (Amended) [The] A piezo-electric resonator [according to claim 1,]

comprising:

a housing having an opening; and

a piezo-electric resonator element provided in the housing said housing comprising a ceramic laminated substrate, and an edge portion of the opening and a periphery of the opening being metallized.

23. (Amended) [A] <u>The</u> manufacturing method for manufacturing a piezo-electric resonator [comprising:

forming a housing having an opening;

providing a piezo-electric resonator element in the housing; and] according to claim 25, further comprising frequency-adjusting a part of said piezo-electric resonator element through the opening provided in the housing.

25. (Amended) [The] A manufacturing method for manufacturing a piezo-electric resonator [according to claim 23, further] comprising:

forming a housing having an opening, an edge portion of the opening and a periphery of the opening being metallized;

providing a piezo-electric resonator element in the housing;

setting a sealing material on said opening; and

heating said sealing material in a vacuum for vacuum-sealing the opening.

REMARKS

Claims 1-6, 8, 10-13 and 15-29 are pending. By this Amendment, claims 7, 9 and 14 are canceled and claims 1, 8, 23 and 25 are amended.

The above amendments place this application in even better condition for initial examination. Prompt consideration and allowance in due course are earnestly solicited.



Should the Examiner believe anything further is desirable in order to place the application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

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